

LIGHTNING HITS AEROPLANE FOREST FIRES DESTROY THREE TOWNS

TWO BIG SHIPS AWAY FOR COAST

Honolulu has witnessed crowds before at the leaving of ships for the coast, but never have such crowds been seen as were present this morning at the departure of the Wilhelmmina and the Sierra.

It seemed that every one who could possibly get away from business and household duties was on hand at the docks to see the big freight and passenger laden ships depart.

Long before ten o'clock the Oceanic and Matson wharves were the scenes of great hustle and bustle, for the two hundred and seventy odd passengers that departed on the two boats, made the stewards rush to get all the baggage on board before the orders were given to cast off the lines.

Berger started his musical program at the Wilhelmmina and finished at the Sierra. Lais, cut flowers and in fact flowers in every shape were to be seen on all sides, while confetti and paper stringers made the scene one of long remembered. Both ships were heavily loaded with cargoes of island produce which included nearly every kind of material from rice to hides and sugar.

Owing to her speed the mail was placed on board the Sierra which will arrive in San Francisco some hours ahead of her rival. The Wilhelmmina was first to get away from her wharf, she being ahead of the foot of Fort Street twenty minutes before the order was given to put the gangway ashore from the Sierra.

Four hundred first class and steerage passengers left on the two liners, one hundred and seventy-five first and seventy steerage left on the Sierra, while one hundred and seven first and forty-eight steerage departed on the Matson liner.

Among those who left of the Wil-

helmina were:

J. A. McCandless who is on his way to look over some of his business interests on the coast.

F. N. Payne and F. Klamp are bound for the oil fields of southern California.

Dr. C. B. Cooper is going to Camp Perry with the rifle team.

Louis Abrams, Mrs. A. Rams and C. W. Macfarlane are going to tour California in their automobile. They expect to be gone about three months.

Rev. E. T. Simpson and Mrs. Simpson are leaving Honolulu on account of Mr. Simpson's ill health.

Senator W. O. Smith and Mrs. Smith are making their annual trip to the coast.

On the Sierra are:

Lieut. Colonel Short and the members of the rifle team who are to compete at Camp Perry, Ohio, in August.

R. E. Bond and Arthur Mackintosh are on their way to be married. Berger played the wedding march in their honor.

Mrs. L. F. Cockroft, accompanied by her two daughters, is returning home after a visit of several weeks spent in touring the islands.

William G. Irwin and W. M. Giffard are on their way to the east, but will remain in San Francisco several days before resuming their journey.

Judge Ralph P. Quarles, accompanied by his wife and two children, is bound for a visit to their old home in Idaho. Judge Quarles will appear before the United States Supreme Court in Washington with cases of local interest before he returns in the fall.

Captain Houdlette hopes to be along side the Oceanic dock in San Francisco by seven thirty next Tuesday morning.

NEW INQUISITION TO PROBE CRIME

This morning there was drawn the new Territorial grand jury which is to report to Judge Cooper on August 1, and which is to be the next inquisition for the probing of local crime:

I. H. Beadle, R. R. Reidford, S. C. Dwight, J. H. Dowsett, Chas. Butzke, John Ouder Kirk, William Olsen, J. S. McCandless, J. O. Carter, Jr., J. W. Farwell, Ed. Towse, H. C. Easton, F. B. Damon, C. E. Rugg, C. P. Iauka, A. R. Hatfield, W. A. Love, W. L. Warren, E. Kopke, T. E. Wall, Alonzo Gartley, J. O. Young, S. G. Wilder.

There are twenty-three, as will be noted, but there are several who are absent from the islands, and who will not return in time to serve; also are there several who are pretty sure to get excused, for the reason that they have always somehow managed to get excused from jury duty.

There is the possibility that further names will have to be drawn before the next grand jury is complete.

H. A. P. CARTER IS IN TOWN

Henry A. P. Carter, son of the late Charles L. Carter, who was killed at Diamond Head during the revolution of 1895, was an arrival on the Manchuria on Monday. Carter is a graduate of St. Paul's school, Concord, and will enter Princeton next fall.

Mr. Carter was born in Honolulu twenty-one years ago, this trip to the islands being the first in many years. After completing his education at the New Jersey university, Carter expects to come back here to enter business.

Mr. Carter's family is well known here in Hawaii, among them being ex-Governor George R. Carter, J. O. Carter Jr., H. Cushman Carter, the Galts and others who are known both in business and society.

WILL OF W. T. LUCAS

The will of William T. Lucas and a petition for probate thereof were filed this day. The will is dated June 17, 1901 and executed at Lihue, Kauai. He devises all property real or personal at the time or that may hereafter come into possession to his wife, Mary E. Lucas. She is named also executrix without bonds. The petition sets forth that Mr. Lucas died on June 6, 1910 at San Francisco.

No real property is alleged, personal property consisting of stock, cash in bank, furniture and personal effects, is valued at \$20,000.

Heirs at law and next of kin, are his widow, three brothers and three sisters, all on the mainland.

TRIAL POSTPONED

The proposed trial trip this morning of the collier Prometheus for the purpose of trying out the engines before sending her back to San Francisco, was postponed on account of the new piston rings not being ready.

No definite time has been set again for either the trial trip or the departure, but the officers hope to have everything in readiness for sailing on Saturday.

Coaling was completed on board the Cleveland yesterday and everything is in readiness on the two cruisers for the trip to the coast. The ships have been in port a month to-morrow which is a long stay for ships in any port.

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GOO WAN HOY CASE CALLED IN COURT

Goo Wan Hoy, charged with gross cheat, made his appearance in police court this morning, accompanied by his attorneys, Lightfoot and Humphreys. Several witnesses were called on both sides, but as others are to be called tomorrow the case was continued.

Tai Kau, charged with selling opium without a license, waived examination before Judge Andrade this morning and was committed to the circuit court for trial. Ah Sin, a friend of Kau's was found guilty on a like charge and fined \$50 and costs. He intends to appeal.

Harry Chairman, who was caught in a room on Maunakea street the other afternoon, by Chief of Detectives McDuffie, in the midst of a gambling game, was found guilty and fined \$30 and costs.

Koga Bunki was sent over to the reef this morning for three months on account of having no lawful or visible means of support. The rest of the cases on the calendar were continued.

DINNER TO THE ADMIRAL

The last official function in honor of Admiral de Castries, commander in chief of the French naval forces in the Pacific, will be the dinner that will be given in his honor tonight at the Union grill by Dr. A. Marques, local representative of the French government.

In addition to the guest of honor, the following have been invited: Territorial Secretary Mott-Smith, Admiral C. P. Rees, U. S. N., Consul General Canavarro of Portugal, Commandant Charon of the Montcalm, Chief d'Etat Major G. de Slane, Consul d'Italia, Schaefer, Commissaire Oliver and Chief Surgeon Kergroher of the Montcalm.

The menu which has been specially prepared by the chef of the grill will consist of the best imaginable dishes.

MARINE CORPS SCANDAL.

WASHINGTON, July 20.—Following an inquiry into the condition of the Marine Corps Colonels Lauchheimer and Prince were ordered to the Philippines, Colonel Denny to San Francisco, Byen to Bremerton and Haines was made an adjutant. It is believed Biddle will succeed General Elliott. The investigation followed charges of bad conduct on the part of army officers in the Philippines.

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AVIATOR ESCAPES BOLT FROM SKY

(Associated Press Cable to The Star.)

BARCELONA, July 20.—An aeroplane was today struck by lightning, the aviator, Ehrmann, being uninjured.

FLAMES THREATEN MANY VILLAGES

WINNIPEG, July 20.—The towns of Three Forks, Jeffray, and Baynes Lake have been destroyed by forest fires. Other towns are threatened with destruction by the racing flames.

CONFESSES TO ROBBING TRAIN

FAIRFIELD, Cal., July 20.—One of the two men suspected of robbing the China mail train on April 17 has confessed.

ASKED RESIGNATION AND IS LIBELLER

DES MOINES, July 20.—Governor Carroll has been indicted for libel for the publication of his reasons for demanding the resignation of an official.

NEW ORLEANS, July 20.—An insurrection has begun in Honduras, said to be in the interest of Bonilla.

ARMY ENGINEERS WILL SUPERVISE. (Special Cable to The Star.)

WASHINGTON, D. C. July 20.—The board of army engineers will supervise the expenditure of \$20,000,000 for irrigation and have already begun outlining their plans.

TAFT AT BAR HARBOR.

BAR HARBOR, Me., July 20.—President Taft visited here today.

NO FREIGHT MOVING.

MONTREAL, July 20.—There is freight moving on the Grand Trunk line today. Officials claim the back of the strike has been broken.

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NEW GOODS AT SACHS' BIG STORE.
New Goods are filling the shelves that were emptied during the big sale at Sachs. By the "Sierra" were received Lingerie Dresses with the overskirt effect, Princess Slips and many more of the very newest creations. Sachs Dry Goods Co.

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TO WIDEN NUUANU

As a result of last night's meeting of the board of supervisors, Nuuanu avenue will be widened from the mausoleum to the Country Club road, if land owners can be brought to terms. Many letters were read from owners, all offering strips of land fronting their premises, for proper returns.

Chairman Quinn of the road committee will estimate the cost of widening the road. He believes it will cost about \$6,000 to set curbs and fences.

Quinn advocated building a road Koolau-poko, called the Wahee-Kahala road, which the Chinese rice planters will construct for about \$300. This will be effected.

The road committee reported the Kahana road all right. Hauula petitioners requested the expenditure of half of the \$2,000 per month, to be spent every month in Hauula district.

The Henry Waterhouse Trust Co. offered to advance \$1,100 necessary to build a 2,000-foot road in Palolo valley, to be reimbursed before the present board goes out of office. There was a question as to whether the county had the right to borrow money and the city attorney must give an opinion thereon.

The superintendent of Public Works advertised for tenders for laying 12-inch wooden stave pipe on the Kula pipe line.